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Farmers,

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T. A. Bonser,
The New Garage.

Meeting of the Tennis Club.

The Stony Plain Tennis Club held its Annual meeting on April 12, 1923 in the Bank of Montreal. The election of officers resulted as follows: President—Dr. Outway Vice Pres.—D. McDonald. Secretary—O.E. Clarke. Mr. G. E. C. was appointed the representative to the S. P. A. A. Sports association for the coming year. An effort is to be made to be made to have the courts enlarged and playing facilities extended. Anybody interested in tennis is cordially invited to join the Sports Association and thus become a member. There is no reason why we cannot have a good tennis Club this year.

Prize Winners at the Show.

At the livestock Show in Edmonton last week, Mr. E. C. McLaughlin, Spruce Grove, sold a Shorthorn bull for \$100, and another for \$75; H. Schellenberger sold one for \$100, and M. Schellenberger disposed of one for \$75; T. Chaderton, Wabamun sold one of the same breed to the Dominion Livestock branch for \$100.

Among the local prize winners were H. Schellenberger, and Miss Dorothy Gilbert 2.

In the calf feeding contest Donald Bevington and Robert Bevington his brother, of Winterville secured 1st and 2d prizes with Holsteins.

Leave Your Money Here.

A salesman from the Ax Dale Press was in town for a day last week, getting printing orders. Those business men whom he gave quotations on their printing noted how money could be saved by giving their printing to the local man.

Stony Plain and District.

After an absence of three months, Mr. Bishop has returned to Stony Plain.

Supt. Bryan, A. P. Police, paid the local Detachment a visit on Sunday afternoon.

Inspector Stuart, of the Dominion Seeds Branch, was to town last week, inspecting the seed which was being offered for sale.

John D. Kyper is leaving next week for Saskatchewan.

Mr. L. E. Wood, Edmonton, was a visitor on Sunday at Mord McKinlay's Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Carnes, who left here a year ago for Moccasin, Montana, returned on Saturday last, and are visiting at the Kimberley Ranch.

Inga Councillors' next meeting will take place in Stony, so it is said, some time this summer.

Next week the new serial story commences, "The Adventures of George the Boxer."

Mr. S. H. Kettle, the lay-preacher, came up from the South last week, and will spend the summer at his villa, Glory Hills.

Mr. McLeod, manager of the coal mine at Evansburg, on Saturday purchased a McLaughlin Car from the Stony Plain agent, Mr. Lawrence Wight.

Shooting will shortly commence at the Comet Ranges. Join the Rifle Club now—\$1 does it.

Stony Plain Pharmacy is being rejuvenated and redecorated, at the hands of an Expert on interior decorations.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Thos. Graden, who has been spending the winter with friends on the coast, returned home this week.

Mr. Th. Wince is able to be around again after a two-weeks' siege of the grippe.

Having failed to connect on the Government Farm proposition, Mr. A. Eaton with his two boys, Frank and Gordon, have left the district.

Jack Crowe and a carload of sports were out from the city on Friday night attending the big dance.

Mr. Pearson of the A. P. Grain Co., Calgary, gave the local agency the once over on Saturday last.

Mr. Crooks, formerly of the Dayis farm, has gone to Saskatoon, to seek employment.

And now for the Garden!

A surprising amount of grain for this time of year is being hauled to town by farmers.

Sec. Lundy has issued the assessment notices to the town rate payers.

A motor trip to the City now means bringing your pull-me-out and a can of gasoline with you.

A largely-attended meeting was held in the Royal Tapers Thursday evening, when a report was made by the delegation recently returned from the trip to Mexico.

Arrangements are being made to hold a public meeting in Stony Plain under the auspices of the Liberal Association, when addresses will be delivered by Hon. Frank Oliver, Mr. Joe Adair, and others.

W. J. Norrison, of Winnipeg, organizer for the Grain-buyers Union, was in Stony last week, securing members.

The Freisfeld Annex will be reopened on Saturday next by Mrs. Pfeifer of Edmonton as a first class fruit and ice cream parlor.

Motorists to the City should take note of the speed trap which the police are said to have laid on the main thoroughfare leaving the City on the West.

Stony is at present enjoying first class transportation facilities to the City—Kellogg running two return trips a day in spite of the many mud holes.

Those farmers who are wanting Marquis seed grain from the Government, will be disappointed to know no more of this grain is on hand. Word to this effect was received by G. W. Shreeves on Monday last.

Meridian Lodge held a degree session Tuesday evening, in Masonic Hall, when Wor. thy Brothers Geo. McAvoy, Sandiands, Dr. Snedden and Dr. Long, of Edmonton, were present, to assist in the ceremonies.

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A Good Beginning

At a time when many people are inclined to look at the dark side of things, and when there is much unnecessary and quite uncalled for "blue ruin" talk, it is encouraging to read the reassuring statement made to the House of Commons by the Minister of Railways reporting on the operation of the Canadian National Railways for the year 1922.

The pessimistically inclined will, of course, say there is nothing very encouraging in a deficit for the year of \$60,251,845, but when it is recalled that the deficit for the previous year totalled \$72,662,278, the improvement is indeed gratifying, revealing, as it does, a betterment of a million dollars a month.

The most promising feature, however, is that whereas there was an actual deficit on account of operation in 1921 of \$12,628,778, this operating deficit was wiped out in 1922 and replaced by a surplus on operation of \$2,202,782. The 1922 deficit was, therefore, occasioned solely by meeting fixed charges.

In other words, whereas the Canadian National Railways went deeper into the hole, as the saying is, in 1921, that downward course was arrested last year and a little something earned to apply in meeting fixed charges. This would seem to indicate that the peak in financial losses has been reached and passed, and that improvement from this time onward may reasonably be expected.

Support for this belief is found in the fact that last year's results were achieved notwithstanding a reduction in earnings occasioned by reduced charges to the public. The reduction in operating costs were however still greater, due to the introduction of numerous economies. Operating expenses on the system, other than the Grand Trunk, were reduced by \$13,250,527, and on the Grand Trunk by \$2,887,311. Where it cost \$129.22 to earn \$100.00 in 1920 on the system apart from the Grand Trunk, and \$127.77 to earn \$100.00 in 1921, it only cost \$108.10 to earn \$100.00 in 1922, and on the Grand Trunk the ratio dropped from 95.55 per cent. in 1921 to 87.94 per cent. in 1922. Other economies and savings effected since the amalgamation and unification of the whole system and the assuming of the presidency by Sir Henry Thornton will only begin to reveal themselves in 1923.

Had it not been for the reduction in charges to the public which went into effect last year, the showing for 1922 would have been considerably better. The Minister of Railways estimated that the restoration of the Crow's Nest Pass rates last year resulted in a reduction in earnings on grain alone of \$6,500,000.

The figures for 1922 seem to fully justify the belief expressed by the Minister of Railways that the publicly-owned Canadian National Railway system will eventually prove to be the success which every Canadian hopes it to be. And, as Hon. Mr. Meighen pointed out, with an end to deficits in operation, the loss on account of fixed charges is not entirely a loss to Canada because, once the system reaches the stage of returns over and above fixed charges, the deficits of previous years will become interest bearing assets of the people of Canada. Furthermore, if under private ownership the railways were not able to meet their fixed charges, Canada would have been called upon to assist them in the form of loans, or bonuses.

The appeal which Sir Henry Thornton recently addressed to the 100,000 Canadian National employees should be interpreted as an appeal, not to them alone, but to the whole body of the Canadian people. Pointing out that technical ability alone would not win victory for Canada's national railway system, Sir Henry appealed to every employee, no matter how humble the position he held in the service, to take a pride in the road; to talk it up, not down; to do everything possible to avoid waste; to be courteous to all and especially to the public; to try and make a friend a day for the C.N.R., and at all times, even in the face of difficulties and discouragement, to smile, smile, smile.

If the rank and file of the Canadian people will cultivate the habit of regarding the Canadian National as their own personal property—which it is—and exert themselves to make it a success, no power on earth can prevent it from being a success, and one of the greatest of the many great assets of which the Dominion can proudly boast. It may for the time being constitute something of a burden for the taxpayer to carry, but by all working and pulling together the day is not far distant when the Canadian National will be an important factor in helping not only in the development and prosperity of Canada, but in lightening the tax bills of the Canadian people.

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1 tablespoon allspice.
5 pounds sugar, 1 tablespoon cloves.
1 tablespoon cinnamon.
1 tablespoon nutmeg.
1/2 cup vinegar, 1 teaspoon salt.
1/2 teaspoon black pepper.
2 pounds Sun-Maid seedless raisins.
Chop tomatoes fine and cook 1 1/2 hours, then add sugar, spices, juice of lemon, vinegar and chopped raisins, then add salt and pepper. Cook half hour. Will keep in glass jars the entire winter and is delicious.

Palace Hotel Raisin Pie
Soak one pound of seeded Muscat Raisins in water three to four hours; drain off and put in saucepan, cover with water, add rind and juice of a half lemon and a little stick cinnamon, add sugar to taste and boil for a few minutes. Stir in at last, while boiling, 1/2 ounce cornstarch diluted with water. Cool before filling in lined pie plate; cover and bake in moderate oven.

Pie Crust
1 cup flour, 1/2 teaspoon salt.
3 tablespoons shortening, ice water.
Put flour into a bowl and mix shortening in with the finger tips, add salt and mix well. Add enough ice water to hold together well. Roll out and fit to pie plate.

You May Be Ill To-Night, Have You a Remedy?

It may be a disordered stomach, perhaps cramps or acute indigestion. If you have recently eaten, you are bound to suffer. Twenty drops of Nervine in sweetened water will ease the pain and enable you to get a good night's sleep. Whether it is Neuralgia, Sick Headache, or some other minor ache or pain, Nervine can be used internally or externally, and will be found a true friend for every ailment. Large 35c bottles sold everywhere.

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Brain of Living Child Photographed

A method of photographing the brain of a living person without affecting the health of the patient has been discovered at the University Hospital, Philadelphia. Working in the clinic of Dr. Charles Frazer, Dr. Temple Fay and Dr. Francis C. Grail made several flashlights of the inside of the brain of a ten-month-old baby. These photographs may prove invaluable in the treatment of water on the brain and cerebral tumors.

The case with which corns and warts can be removed by Holloway's Corn Remover is its strongest recommendation. It seldom fails.

Ship Live Poultry to East

New Plan May Revolutionize Poultry Business in Alberta

From experimental shipments made by the province last year, the business of disposing of Alberta's poultry products will likely be revolutionized in the near future by shipments of live instead of cold stored poultry to Eastern Canada, according to a statement made by the Superintendent of the Provincial Poultry Department. In this connection the railways have agreed to provide special eight-foot cars with wire sides and feeding facilities.

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Alberta High-Grade Seed

Provincial Government Plant Ships Seed to North and South Dakota

Two carloads of Alberta seed wheat, cleaned and graded at the Government plant at Edmonton, were shipped to the States recently, one car going to farmers in North Dakota and another to farmers in South Dakota, for seed purposes. Another car went from the Government plant to Steele Briggs Co. at Toronto. The plant, which is operated by the Department of Agriculture, has already marketed nearly 10,000 bushels of high-grade seed.

Minard's Liniment for Neuralgia

Immigration Shows Increase

Many Arrivals From Old Land Pass Through Winnipeg for Prairie Centres

Almost three times the number of passengers were brought to Winnipeg and the prairies from the Old Country by the Canadian Pacific Railway during the first three weeks of March, compared with February, according to an announcement. From March 1 to 20, 1,170 passengers arrived in Winnipeg en route to prairie centres, while in February there were only 406, and on January 296. Since the first of the year there have been 2,652 passengers brought to the three prairie provinces and British Columbia.

Longest Lived Fish

The pike, though greedy and fond of heavy meals, is slow growing, and is believed to live longer than any other species of fish. A Swiss naturalist has recorded the history of one that was 567 years old. It had spent its entire existence as a prisoner in a fish pond.

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Institution Working Towards Promotion Of Good Feeling Between Canada And U. S.

"Canadians are among leaders in this nation," is the heading of a recent interesting article by D. M. LeBourdais in Current History Magazine, New York. The article, in addition to listing the Canadians, like Jacob Gould Schurman, United States Minister to China; Margaret Anglin, Mary Pickford, George W. Hobart, Walt Mason, George Pattillo, Arthur Stringer, Basil King, Chas. G. D. Roberts, Biles Carman, the late Franklin K. Lane and Senator James Couzens, of Michigan, who have attained fame in the United States, goes on to show that the condition is reciprocal by enumerating the Americans who have become great in Canada, including, among others, the late Sir William Van Horne, Lord Shaughnessy, the late Chas. M. Hays, former President of the Grand Trunk Pacific; Sir Henry Thornton, present head of the Canadian National Lines; Sir George Perley; the late E. B. Eddy, of "match-making" fame; George Lane, the well-known Alberta rancher, and the equally well-known Henry W. Wood, of the United Farmers of Alberta.

One of the most powerful and flourishing of those institutions which are working continually toward the promotion of good feeling between Canada and the United States—namely, the Canadian clubs, which have been formed in many American cities to the Canadian Club of Boston. A special illustrated article on Boston's Canadian Club is a feature of the Boston Transcript of a recent date.

"America is quite replete with men and women of Canadian birth," says George R. Hoskins, writer of the article, "and where there are a score or so together in a community they have combined into Canadian Clubs. Boston has one, a large one, active to the extreme. It was organized 22 years ago, with 15 charter members, and now it has grown to a membership of nearly one thousand.

"It was constituted, as is bylaws state, for the purpose of cultivating good fellowship and fraternity among the persons eligible to membership residing in this vicinity; for the entertainment of distinguished Canadians visiting Boston; for the discussion of problems and current questions of special interest to the United States and Canada; for the dissemination of information regarding the progress of the Dominion; for the relief of persons of Canadian birth or affiliation who may be in need of financial assistance, sympathy and help; for the development among its resident members of a spirit of civic duty and regard for the institutions and ideals in their adopted country; and for the cultivation of friendly relations, based upon mutual understanding, between all English-speaking peoples.

"It is primarily intended, of course, to bring together men who were born under the Maple Leaf, or who are descendants of Canadians; yet it welcomes as associate members other men who, though not strictly Canadians, have the interests of Canadian affairs at heart and who are in sympathy with the objects of the club. This is the point of view broadened greatly. These associate members can mingle, can discuss, can propose, can have all the privileges of the organization except voting and holding office. And about one-fifth of the present members are associates and include some of its most active workers.

New Inter-oceanic Canal

Serious consideration is being given to the construction of a new inter-oceanic canal, either at Panama or by the Nicaragua route. The Panama Canal cost in round numbers \$400,000,000. The gross revenue for the fiscal year of 1922 was \$11,197,000. In six years the canal has increased its business almost 200 per cent. and it is increasing.

Teacher:—Beside, name one bird that is now extinct.
Beside:—"Dick."
Teacher:—"Dick? What sort of a bird is that?"
Beside:—"Our canary—the cat exterminated him!"

W. N. U. 1468

Captain Decorated For Heroic Rescue

Commander A. J. Hosken, of Canadian Pacific Empire of Russia, Again Honored by France for Rescue of Shipwrecked Crew off China Coast

In recognition of the part he played in the gallant and heroic rescue of six Europeans and sixty Chinese, the crew of the ill-fated French vessel Hsin Tien, which sank off the China coast near



Leauchock, April 8th, 1921, Commander A. J. Hosken, R.N.R., of the Canadian Pacific Empire of Russia, has been presented with the First Class Medal of the Marine Department of France, by E. Chevalier, Consul

of France at Vancouver. Commander Hosken was presented last year with a silver medal from President Millerand of France in addition to the Royal Life Society Medal personally granted by ex-Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Nichol. This third decoration comes as the crowning reward of his indomitable courage, on the recommendation of the French Consul at Shanghai where the survivors of the wreck were taken by the Canadian Pacific steamship Montague which Captain Hosken then commanded.

The address accompanying the decoration was, in part, as follows: "Captain Hosken, and his staunch ship Montague found themselves on the 8th of April, 1921, in vicinity of a steamer fighting a losing battle with the storm. The call was answered, and although he knew the risks to be taken in these treacherous waters without hesitation Captain Hosken went to the rescue. Success crowned his efforts, the sea was robbed of her victims and good sailors were saved to their loving families. This noble display of courage is today recognized by the Marine Department of France by this medal which I am fortunate enough to have the honor to deliver to our valiant captain. To the medal is joined a certificate on which is inscribed the reason of the decoration." The address concludes: "The courage is simply courage plus the tenacity and the stubbornness in the face of danger which characterized the 'old sea dog,' and which has built up the history of the British Isles, and is carried on today by their sons and heirs to past deeds. Captain, you have been true to the old tradition, and this medal which is exclusively given for lifesaving at sea cannot rest on a nobler breast. In the name of France let me remit it to you."

Confidence Tricks and Their Uses

Human Nature Apparently Changes With Time

The more human nature changes the more it is the same. Nothing bears more eloquent testimony to the truth of the statement than the ridiculous and recurring ease with which the confidence trick is wrought. We laugh till it hurts us when we read about it, and we would knock a man down who dared to suggest that it might happen to ourselves. But who knows? Pride comes before any knowledge. One reflection, however, we are entitled to make. The folly which accounts to the trick may be assisted with vanity on the one side, but it is at least allied with a belief in a human kind on the other. It will be a dismal race of Scrooges and Machiavellis when the confidence trick has ceased to yield fruit at all.—London Daily Express

A Modest Estimate

Tailors estimate that a man cannot dress in good taste on less than \$4,662 a year. And yet everybody knows a lot of snappy dressers who dress on less than that, and have enough left over for such incidentals as food, lodging and general expenses.—Cleveland Plain Dealer

For Morning Wear



The short jacket always has been most practical for sport wear, for it allows more freedom than the bangle-some long coat. Seldom, however, has a short coat been as attractive as those which women have chosen this season. Chic in every line, from the smart cut of the sleeves to the close fitting hip line, the brown Astrakhan coat pictured above suggests all the vitality of youth and the freedom of the big outdoors.

Progressive Changes Which Have Come Over Conditions On Western Canada Farms

Flags of New Nations

Many Flying in Europe as Result of World War

A score of new flags are waving over part of Europe as a result of the World War and upheavals since then. Smaller territories as well as new republics and reformed old states carry new flags.

The flag of the new republic of Finland is an interesting one. It consists of a blue cross on a white background.

Danish has adopted a red flag bearing a crown above two crosses for its emblem.

Flume flies a flag of blue, yellow and purple, arranged in three perpendicular bars. The blue is at the left, yellow in centre and purple at right.

Fired Ancient Cannon

An ancient weapon of war which now stands in the Toronto University grounds, about 50 yards south of the university main building, was fired by students as a youthful prank in the wee sma' hours. The noise of the explosion startled citizens and had the police by the ears for a time. The cannon was sunk in Louisburg Harbor in 1716, recovered in 1809, and presented to the University of Toronto graduating class in arts in 1901.

Fairs Receive Grant

A grant of \$1,600 to the fairs of different parts of Canada has been approved by the Board of Directors of the Canadian Aberdeen-Angus Association. This money will be divided pro rata between the provinces, and the task of placing it upon various classes will be left to the directors from each province.

SPRING FISHING



1. A Laurentian Morning's Haul.

Of course we are all fond of our gloriously stimulating and exhilarating Canadian winters, and while they are with us we enter into the seasonable sports with considerable enthusiasm, but when all is said and done, when the first warm days come upon us and the sunshine turns our icy walks to mud, we are ever ready to welcome the approaching spring, and cast aside our skis and snowshoes in favor of the fishing rod.

East is east and west is west but we've got our own ideas as to where the fishing's best, and Canada is so happily situated that there is good fishing within easy reach of almost everyone, those who are not satisfied with their local waters are able, by taking short railway journeys, to reach some of the best sporting and fishing grounds in the world. For those who like the grey and speckled trout, the Laurentians send out an almost irresistible call. The Canadian Pacific Railway runs through a district the waters of which teem with finny denizens, and from any station along the line from St. Agathe to Mont Laurier one can, within very short time arrive at a fruitful stand. Most of the innumerable lakes and streams in the foothills have provided the background for a "big fish" story. The trout season opens here, as in most other Canadian districts, on May 24th and closes about the end of July, opening up again for a few weeks in September when the weather gets cooler.

The Nipigon district north of Lake



2. A Proud Nipigon Catch.

Superior is heavy in trout also, and one of the best black bass countries in the world lies in the Timagami district of Ontario. Bass weighing upward of six pounds are often taken out of the Timagami waters, what more could be desired? Salmon; if we live in the east, New Brunswick calls us, Chas River particularly, and if we live in the west we do not have to go further than the Rockies. At no time does one have to go far from the railroad for as good fishing as can be desired.

Winter may stimulate us to a certain extent but there is nothing more stimulating than a battle with a bass or game trout, and to hear the whirr of the reel and the swirl of the tail line as the captured fish drives its frantic way through the water. We love the winter but we welcome spring.

Very interesting statistics indicative of the progressive changes which have come over the conditions surrounding the Western Canadian farm, especially as they apply to the farmer's wife and her work, were given at the annual convention of the United Farm Women of Manitoba. The figures in striking manner illustrate the rapid passing of pioneer conditions in Western Canada, especially in those phases of the life which peculiarly affect the wife of the tiller of the soil, making her lot an easier and more contented one. They incidentally prove that the era when men came to Western Canada bent solely on getting as much as they could from the land in the shortest possible time, has passed, and that with the sinking of deep and permanent roots the Western Canadian provinces have become an area of prosperous, comfortable and contented homes.

The survey in question covered a total of 307 typical farms in the province of Manitoba, eighty-five per cent. of which ran from three-quarters of a section to a quarter section and thirteen per cent. of which were from one section to two and a half sections. In eighty-eight per cent. of the cases the occupants of the farms and homes were complete owners. The average home was found to consist of seven rooms and to contain a family of from three to four persons. While 27 of the homes had baths and one-third of the total were heated with furnaces, eighty per cent. of the farms possessed automobiles. Only forty-eight homes were found to be without music of some kind, whilst from one to seventeen magazines and papers were taken in all.

These brief statistics give a rough indication of the manner in which pioneering conditions are disappearing in what cannot yet be otherwise described than as a new land. The promotion of agriculture as the first industry of Canada's western provinces never wanes as a prime consideration, and this is not limited to the production of better crops and enhanced production. There are other factors as important as the development of new seeds and machinery. A requisite for successful agriculture is a contented helpmeet for the farmer, and quantities of better crops are being made in the direction of lightening the burden of the farmer's wife and expanding the conveniences and comforts of the rural life of the west.

Vastly different conditions surround the life of the western farm wife of today from those which prevailed a few years ago, and in few respects has the woman on the farm cause to envy her city sister. In a large measure the advent of the cheap automobile has revolutionized farm life and added to its pleasures as well as diminishing its labors. There are few farm homes not now linked by the admirable telephone service which meshes the western provinces. Schools dot the country at convenient intervals, with each province, from the needs of new settlement, organizing about one hundred new school districts every year. The provincial governments make an adequate distribution of books and motion picture films throughout the country districts. Rural health nursing has long been introduced and municipal hospitals widely established.

Largest Floating Drydock

Will Take in Bigger Vessels Than Have Been Built

A floating drydock, bigger than any now in existence, is to be constructed at Southampton, England. It will be capable of taking in the largest vessels in the world, say the Majestic or the Leviathan, or bigger ships that may be built. It will be 560 feet long—this dimension not limiting the length of craft to be accommodated—134 feet in width of opening, and have a lifting capacity of 90,000 tons.

Four motor driven centrifugal pumps, with a total capacity of 20,000 tons of water an hour, will be installed. A maximum of 80,000 tons of water will need to be ejected, and it will take four hours to accomplish this.—Compressed Air Magazine.

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Soon afterward the supper bell rang, and during the meal Helen told the Senator, who seemed somewhat morose and preoccupied, of the visit she had had.

"Sure threepenny people. Goodness! I was glad to see them at first because I thought they would help me to pass the afternoon, but instead I was taken to death. That little mix is crazy about Gordon, though. I could see that."

"I feel like a dead person at a concert, here in this town."

This remark brought a very laugh from her father, and Helen smiled.

"Well, I've made you laugh anyway," she said. "You're frightfully grouchy this evening."

"My dear, I'm busy, very busy, and I haven't time to think of trifles. I'll be at it most of the night."

"Oh, shall you? Goodness, that's cheerful. I wish I had never come to this awful little place. I suppose I must go back to my letters for something to do. And father, she said, as he lingered with her for a moment in the hallway, "the Purcells seem to think that you and Mr. Moran had better not go too far. The people here are very much wrought up."

He patted her shoulder affectionately.

"You leave all that to me and go to your mother."

There was nothing else for her to do, so she returned to the parlor. When she had finished her letters, she idly picked up a week-old copy of a Denver newspaper which lay on the table and glanced through the headlines. She was yawningly thinking of bed, when Moran came into the room.

"Oh, are you and father through at last?"

"Yes," he answered, smiling. "That is, we're through upstairs. I'm on my way over to the office to straighten up a few loose ends before I turn in. There's no rest for the weary, you know."

"Don't let me keep you, then," she said dryly, as he lingered. "I'm going to bed."

"You're not keeping me. I'm keeping myself." He quite understood her motive, but he was not in the mood, and he had learned that he had to make his opportunities with her. "Your father told me you were getting anxious."

"Not anxious, tired."

"Things are getting a little warmer here, but before there's any real danger we expect to have the soldiers here to take charge."

He rather ostentatiously displayed his bandaged wrist, hoping to win her sympathy, but she showed none. Instead, she yawned and tapped her lips with her fingers, and her indifference plighted him.

"I was talking with Dorothy Purcell this afternoon," Helen finally remarked, "and she said that she and I seem to be of the opinion that you'll

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have hard work arresting Gordon Wade. I rather hope that you do."

"Well—," He teetered a little on his feet, and stroked his mustache. "We may have, at that. Miss Purcell is popular and she can make a lot of trouble for us if she wants to. Being very fond of Wade, she's likely to do all that she can."

"Would she really have so much influence?" Helen asked, carefully guarding her tongue.

"He laughed softly as though amused at the thought.

"Influence? Evidently you don't realize what a good looking girl means in a frontier town like this. She's part sister, part mother, sweetheart and a breath from Heaven to every man in Crawling Water. On that account, with one exception, I've had to import every last one of my men. The exception is Tug Bailey, who's beyond hope where women are concerned. To all the rest, Dorothy Purcell is 'Wade's girl,' and they wouldn't fight against her, or him, for all the money in Wyoming."

He was watching her keenly as he spoke, and was gratified to see sparks of color spring to her cheeks.

"How interesting!" Helen could make her tone indifferent to the point of languor, but she could not keep the gleam of jealousy out of her eyes.

"Gordon is a fortunate man to have such a able ally, isn't he?"

"The finish will decide that, I should say," Moran replied seemingly, she may stir up more trouble than all her friends can take care of."

For all of her social schooling, Helen was not proof against the sneer in his words, even though she fully saw through his purpose to wound her. She felt her temper rising, and with it came curiosity to learn how far the relationship between Wade and Dorothy Purcell had really gone.

"Moran would exaggerate it, she felt sure, for he had his own ends to gain, but possibly from out of his exaggeration she could glean some truth. Yet she did not want to go so far in her anger as to gratify his malice, and this placed her in something of a dilemma.

"I don't believe that she is 'Wade's girl,' as you call her, at all," she said coldly. "They may be good friends, and if so, I'm glad; but they are nothing more than that. There is no understanding between them."

Moran carefully waved his hand in the direction of the rain-swept street, illuminated now and then by the lightning.

"Ask any one in Crawling Water." "That sounds well, but it's impracticable, even if I wanted to do it. I prefer to draw my own conclusions."

The agent drew up a chair with his well hand, and sat down with that easy familiarity that came so natural to him. Helen watched him, lazily impatient.

"I've been wanting to have a talk with you, Helen," he began, "and this looks like a good chance to me. You've been foolish about Wade. Yes, I know that, you're thinking that I've sent my own end to further, which is true enough. I have. I admit it. But what I am going to tell you is true, also. Fortune's been playing into my hand here lately. Now, if you'd be reasonable, you'll probably be happier. Shall I go on?"

"Wild horses couldn't stop you," she answered, amused that he seemed so well. "But if we were in Washington, I fancy I'd have you shown out."

"I've not in Washington, my dear girl." He wagged his finger at her in the way her father had, to give emphasis to his words.

"Where you've made your mistake with Wade. We're all just plain men and women out here in the cattle country, and I'm talking its language, not the language of drawing-rooms." He was again a little surprised at the swift dilation of her pupils, but his words had probed deeper than he knew, revealing her as they did of the truth which she had so fully realized that afternoon.

"Wade liked you—loved you, maybe, in Chicago, but this ain't the East. He cares nothing for you here, and he'd never be happy away from here. You know the picture of yourself that you sent to him?" She nodded.

"Well, we found it on the floor of his room, covered with dust. He hadn't even troubled to pick it up from where it must have fallen weeks ago."

She looked at him dumbly, unable to keep her lips from twitching. He smiled, and she believed him. She was glad; that she had to believe him.

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because his story bore the impress of truth. It was not something that he could have made up.

"And while your picture was lying there, Wade and this Purcell girl were making goo-goo eyes at each other. Why? It was she that rode out to warn him that we were after Santry."

Helen's lips curled. "I can't swear to that, but I heard and I believe it myself. I am going to meet on the trail somewhere in the dark, and you can bet he was grateful. I don't imagine they stopped at a hand shake."

"I imagine they kissed, don't you?"

"Oh, I'm tired, worn out," Helen declared, forcing a smile so artificial that it could not deceive him. "Go, please, for my reason, up stairs to bed."

"He put out his injured arm, and, thinking that he reached for her hand, she brushed it aside, accidentally striking the wound. "Go, please, for my reason, up stairs to bed," he said coldly, as he winced.

"Maybe I hurt you worse," he interjected to her, "but, if I have, your wound will heal just as mine will. I gently pushed her up stairs to her chair as she started to get up."

"Under the ridicule of her tone his face darkened. "If you are, it's insufferable in you."

"Oh, really, now," he warned her. "I'll not be a fool of."

She did not heed his warning. Glad to have him on the track, where she had been, she laughed at him.

"Haven't you sense enough to know that, for that very reason, I'll refuse to believe anything you might say against Gordon Wade. I know how you hate him. Listen to me. Oh, this is absurd!" She laughed again at the picture he made. "You've pursued me for months with your attentions, although I've done everything but encourage you. Now I want you to know that I shall never again listen to you. What Gordon is to Dorothy Purcell is for him, and he, and she, may be interested in it, but not for you. Now I'm going to bed. Good night."

He came to the arm as she stood up, but immediately released her, and stepped in front of her instead.

"Hold on," he begged, with a smile that meant wonderful mastery of himself. "I've got feelings, you know. You needn't walk on them. I love you, and I want you. What I want, I mean to get you."

She looked up at him with heavy-lidded innocence. "I may fall, but I won't. I'll be one more notch in my account against Wade. I know now where to strike him—to hurt."

"You be reasonable, and you'll be happier," she retorted. "May I go?"

"Certainly." He stepped out of her way, and closed the door behind him. (To be continued)

The Oil for the Farmer—A bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the farm house will save many a journey for the doctor. It is not only good for the children when taken with colds and croup, and for the mature who suffer from pains and aches, but there are directions for its use on sick cattle. There should always be a bottle of it in the house.

St. Anne de Beaupre

Plans for Handsome New Church Have Been Completed

The plans for the construction of the new Basilica of St. Anne de Beaupre have been completed and provided for a church which will probably be the most spacious and finest from an architectural point of view, in Canada. In architectural style the new Basilica will be a combination of Roman and Gothic, and the steeple in front will tower 225 feet high. The Basilica will contain 26 altars in all, including those of the chapels.

Progressives and H.B. Railway

The Progressives at Ottawa are criticized for demanding economy, yet urging the building of the Hudson Bay railway. But their hands were forced in this railway matter by the giving of orders for the tearing up of rails on parts of the road already built.

The west has not insisted unreasonably on the instant completion of this work, but is determined the enterprise shall not be abandoned.

Toronto Star.

Immensity of Last Grain Crop

217,685 Grain Cars Inspected in Six Months' Period

The immensity of the 1922 grain crop, and the splendid work done by the Canadian railways in moving it, is made evident by figures just published, showing that the total number of grain cars inspected during the six months ended February, was 217,685, an increase of 50,113, or 30 per cent, over that for the same period last year.

The Canadian Pacific Railway handled by far the greater part of this, namely, 118,243 cars, being an increase of nearly 35,500 cars over that for the same period of the preceding year.

Rural "White Ways"

Country Roads in Quebec to be Illuminated

Two great highways in the province of Quebec, where there is a generous network of excellent roads, are to be brilliantly lighted. What were the old time country roads are to be turned into somewhat modified great white ways. These roads—from Montreal to Quebec, and from Montreal to the United States boundary—bear an enormous burden of traffic, but until recently they were just rural highways winding through picturesque and sleepy villages. Now the clean sweep of permanent way will be dotted with lights. It is but a matter of time when roads will add to the urbanization of country life.

HER HEART SKIPPED EVERY THIRD BEAT

Mrs. James Burleigh, 248 King St. E., Chatham, Ont., writes: "I think it my duty to let you know what Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have done for me."

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"When I think of the misery and suffering I went through, I am glad I started Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, I feel like letting everyone know what they did for me."

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Manitoba's Forest Fires

Dried Grass Creates a Considerable Fire Hazard

In view of the approaching forest fire season, the District Inspector of Forest Reserves points out that the periods of greatest fire danger in Manitoba vary in different parts. In the south and southwest, during the period from the disappearance of the snow until the June rains, the dried-up grass creates a considerable fire hazard, as it does also after the autumn. In the north of the province, on the other hand, moss takes the place of the grass as ground cover. This moss does not dry out until about July and August, and this is the period when most of the fires start.

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A Woman Diver

That diving may be looked upon as an occupation for women is demonstrated by Miss Margaret Naylor, Great Britain's woman diver, who is searching in Tokoroony Bay, Scotland, for treasure left by a ship of the Spanish Armada. A dive of ten fathoms is nothing to Miss Naylor.

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Muddling Through

The Anglo-Saxon is easily the most incoherent being in Europe. Put a Frenchman or an Italian on his legs and volubility pours out of his unabashed mouth. We remain tongue-tied. But not so tongue-tie that we need resort to thank the gods each morning for having given us that other more estimable gift of Persistence—of knowing what we want, even if we cannot name it, and of feebly carrying on until we have it in our grasp—London Daily Express.

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Violent Scenes Are Witnessed In British House Of Commons

London.—Perhaps 'never' since the days of Parnellite obstruction has such a scene of violent-uproar been witnessed in the House of Commons as that which transformed the ordinarily placid chamber into an absolute bedlam. The disorders arose primarily out of the defeat sustained by the Government, by a small majority, on a mere technical point.

Right Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Chancellor of the Exchequer, introduced a motion framed to counteract this defeat only to meet with a storm unexampled in present-day parliamentary annals, in the face of which the Speaker, powerless to obtain a division, declared the motion carried under closure, and the House adjourned.

Amid the general uproar from the Labor benches were heard the singing of "The Red Flag." It was the first time the chamber of the "Mother of Parliaments" ever echoed with its familiar words and tune; consequently it was a somewhat startling innovation, but nobody seemed to attach significance to it. None of the London papers refers to the singing of "The Red Flag" as having any special significance, and the Laborite Herald gives it no more prominence than the others.

The Laborites clearly felt that they had a big stick to wield against the Government in the interests of its service men, which was the question originally before the House. In this attitude the Labor members are likely to receive the support of the whole Laborite electorate.

BARELY LIVED THROUGH IT

A terrible experience had Edw. J. O'Connor, of St. Louis, Mo., from boyhood—he writes: "I have been a constant sufferer from Asthma and Catarrh. My nose and throat was often stopped up, and I had disagreeable droppings from my throat. When an attack of coughing came on, it seemed as if I would barely live through it. I would gasp for breath. Catarrhus made me well. It's soothing healing action was exactly suited to my case." To those who suffer from Catarrh, Asthma, Throat Irritation and Bronchitis, Catarrhus is highly recommended. Two months' treatment, one dollar, smaller sizes 25c & 50c, at all dealers or The Catarrhus Co., Montreal.

New York to Peking By Air

First Stop to be Made at Winnipeg in Philadelphia.—An air route between New York and Peking, China, has been organized which will make possible a trip by passenger airplanes in 65 hours. Brig.-Gen. William Mitchell, Assistant Chief of the United States Air Service, told the Chamber of Commerce, Winnipeg will be the first stop. The second stop will be in Nome, Alaska. The cost to each passenger would be about \$1,200.

Gen. Mitchell said he had just organized the route, and the time was not far distant when the first trip would be made. Four stops will be made altogether. There will be only 21 miles of water to cross at the tip of Alaska, he said. The third stop would be near the Amur River, in Siberia. Starting from New York at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, passengers would be landed in Peking on the morning of the third day, he said.

Increase In Living Cost

Statistics Show March Average Slightly Higher Than February. Ottawa.—A slight increase at the beginning of March over February was shown in the average weekly cost of the family budget, according to figures compiled by the statistics branches of the Department of Labor. In some sixty Canadian cities the average cost of 29 staple goods for a family of five was \$10.79 as compared with \$10.54 in February and \$10.54 in March, 1922. In June, 1920, the budget cost \$16.92; while in March, 1914, the cost was only \$7.68.

School Lands Sold

Revenue from Quarter Sections in Pre-emption Area \$2,454,854. Ottawa.—A total of \$824 quarter sections of school lands within the Dominion lands pre-emption area were sold to December 31, 1922, according to information given to the House by Hon. Charles Stewart, Revenue minister, to \$12,554,854.98 was derived from these sales and at the end of last year the balance remaining unpaid was \$15,687,018.51. The number of quarter sections purchased and afterwards surrendered to the Government was 1,264.

Progressive Candidate Elected

—Moose Jaw, Sask.—After one of the most strenuous political campaigns in the history of this part of the country, E. N. Hopkins, Progressive candidate, defeated Hon. W. E. Knowles, Liberal nominee, by 1,281 votes, with 30 outlying polls to be heard from. Mr. Hopkins' election is conceded, but his majority may be cut down somewhat by the returns from 25 or so polls in the district along the United States border.

Wheat from Vancouver to Scandinavia

Vancouver.—For the first time in the history of the port, arrangements have been made to ship wheat direct from Vancouver to Norway and Sweden, booking of 231,350 bushels for that market being resorted at the Vancouver Merchants' Exchange. In the past, Vancouver grain has found its way indirectly to Scandinavian ports, but this is the first time in which direct arrangements have been made.

WESTERN EDITORS



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Same Old Story From Nova Scotia

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To Encourage Immigration

Ocean Passages for Immigrants from Europe to be Reduced

Montreal.—With a view to encouraging immigration from Europe, the Canadian railways have arranged that, effective with the opening of navigation, via the St. Lawrence route, a substantial reduction will be made in immigrant fare on business from Europe to Canadian points. The new fares to Winnipeg and the west will be on an approximate pre-war basis, and effective, with sales in Europe, on April 19.

Arrangements have also been made that, effective May 1, settlers from the United States, coming to take up land in Canada, will be accorded a material reduction in their fares.

Prepare For Whiskey Smugglers

American Prohibition Agents to Caps With Liquor Shipments From Canada

Washington.—New England prohibition agents are advising Commissioner Hayes that they are preparing for a spring opening of liquor shipments from Canada.

Roads in the States along the Canadian border are clearing rapidly of snow, and it is expected that fleets of motor trucks of smugglers from Canada soon would be on their way. The prohibition men say they are prepared to cope with the situation.

Give your local merchants a chance. Buy at home.



Manitoba Government Decides To Introduce Wheat Board Measure

Annual Grant to Fairs

Dominion Livestock Commissioner Says Western Class A Fairs to Receive \$5,000

Edmonton.—Western fairs on Class A list, such as Edmonton, Calgary, Regina, Saskatoon and Brandon, will receive annual grants of \$5,000, so H. S. Arkell, Dominion Livestock Commissioner, stated at a conference of representatives of exhibition associations, provincial governments and livestock association held here.

This official also stated that within two and at the most three years, federal grants for "Class B" fairs would be dropped. Restricting of favored draught horse breeds to Clydesdales, Percherons, Belgians and Shires while there would be two kinds of light horses, thoroughbreds and standard bred, was approved of by the meeting. There was a great degree of unanimity on the beef cattle classes, shorthorns, Herefords and Aberdeen Angus being approved of.

Considerable discussion took place over the dairy cattle eliminations, particularly as a number of Alberta delegates were holding forth for the Jerseys while Saskatchewan was sympathetic to Guernseys.

Finally, a motion favoring the Holstein and Ayrshire line was passed while the selecting of another dairy or dual purposes breed was left to the discretion of the various fair boards, who will act in consultation with Ottawa.

Honor Danish Explorer

London.—The King has approved of the plan to bestow the Founder's Medal of the Royal Geographical Society on Knud Rasmussen, the Danish explorer, for his explorations and research in the Arctic in the past 25 years.

Winnipeg.—Premier Bracken moved in the Legislature a resolution providing that it be considered expedient for the government to introduce a bill to confer certain powers on the Wheat Board. The bill, the Premier said, had not been printed yet. It was almost the same bill as that put through in Saskatchewan. Every facility would be given, he said, for a full discussion of the bill on second reading.

Major F. O. Taylor, Conservative leader, said that because the resolution was allowed to pass now, it must not be concluded that his party concurred in the principle thereof. As far as Mr. Queen's point was concerned, he could not imagine a bill being introduced by a special message from the Lieutenant-Governor without it being considered a Government measure.

Mr. Bracken, in reply, declared he proposed to discuss the bill on its merits.

"I may say," said the Premier, "that regardless of what may be regarded as proper, we are not going to force anyone to vote one way or another; and I hope the parties opposite will do likewise."

The resolution was adopted and the bill was introduced and read a first time.

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Coal For Switzerland.

Berlin.—Swiss firms have begun the importation of South African, British and United States coal on account of prolonged stoppages of shipments from the Ruhr. Several steamers have already sailed from South Africa with coal for Swiss firms.

Howard Carter Is Taken Ill

London.—Howard Carter, co-discoverer with the late Earl of Carnarvon, of the tomb of Tutankhamen, has been taken ill, and Lady Carnarvon is delaying her return to England in consequence, according to an Exchange Telegram dispatch from Cairo.

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Div. 6—Dan Brox, Spruce Grove.
(Reeve).
E. Pinchbeck, Spruce Grove.
(Secretary-Treasurer.)

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No. 520.**
Div. 1, Muriel McKinlay.
Div. 2, R. P. Shaw.
Div. 3, Ed Tattoraall.
Div. 4, A. E. Hopkins.
Div. 5, R. C. Howatt.
Div. 6, Reinhold Goerz.
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Thos. Graden (Chairman)
John Eichenlaub,
Philip Kulak.
M. McKinlay Secretary.

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Captain, Muriel McKinlay.
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News of Duffield District

Mr C. W. Isben, the well-known cattle breeder, was a pleased recipient last week of a R. O. P. Certificate from the Dominion Livestock Commissioner, Ottawa, on his celebrated five-year old Reg. Shorthorn cow "Duffield Pearl," 131889. This animal took a prize when a yearling, and has been a consistent performer ever since. Her latest is in the 305-day test, just recently completed, when her total production for 273 days was 6245 lbs of milk and 270 lbs fat. Her highest month was July last, when she gave over 1259 lbs milk and over 45 lbs fat. Her yearling bull calf is a splendid animal, and shows promise of being a good performer at maturity. Duffield Pearl is only one of the many good dual-purpose Shorthorn animals owned by this enterprising stock grower, of which Duffield district feels justly proud.

Mr E. Tattersall, of Keep Hills, brought in a purebred bull to the Edmonton sale last week and obtained a good price for it.

The valiant fight which has been put up for a long time to establish an elevator at this point is likely to be crowned with success, as a report is now given out that Superintendent Dodge, of the Federal Elevator Co., has recommended the construction of an elevator here. The plans are all laid, and building is expected to commence when the site is definitely located.

It is fondly hoped that a bank may be induced to open a branch here—if only a two-day-a-week affair.

Arrangements are all ready for the construction of the railway spur to the coal mine, and it is expected this will leave the main track a short distance west of town.

The Dorenbusch sawing outfit have finished up the logs on their first setting; and it is expected they will move a little further west, where there is a layout of logs approximating 200,000 ft. B.M.

Co-operative U. F. A. marketing is getting good results at present; the farmers being well pleased with the prices which they have been receiving, and particularly on last week's shipment.

Work has commenced on a number of the farms in this district, and, altho the season is later than usual, the farmers here are optimistic that 1923 will be a good season for raising grain.

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Stony Plain Garage.

For Good Bulls.

A fairly brisk demand for pure-bred bulls, with fair prices offering at the Edmonton and Calgary Spring Shows and Bull Sales, is an indication of a more buoyant feeling in the cattle business. Nothing will help improve the stock industry more than a general distribution of purebred bulls throughout the province.

At the present time it appears that the market for feeder cattle will furnish an outlet for Alberta stock. The British feeders want a good class of animals, showing some breeding from the beef types. Placing good pure bred bulls at the head of the farmers herds will help produce the export cattle type wanted in this new market, which has always been a discriminating purchaser. Other markets may open up to Alberta stockmen, but always on all markets, it is the well bred, good stock that draws down the best prices.

Mr. I. Demity.

Reduction in the sessional indemnity of members of the Legislature is still far from being a dead issue in the House, and a quiet but active canvass has been going on among members on both sides with a view to bringing in some proposal for reduction which will meet with sufficient support to warrant its passing.

The visit of Farmer members to their constituents on the recent vacation appears to have strengthened the demand for a reduction in the sessional indemnity, and more than one U.F.A. back bench-er, who gave his constituents an undertaking to start something along this line, is understood to have received uncomfortable and very decided prods on the matter during his trip back home.

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TOWN OF STONY PLAIN. ASSESSMENT ROLL, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment Roll of the Town of Stony Plain has been prepared and is now open for inspection at the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Town from 10 o'clock in the forenoon until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, except Saturday (and on that day from 10 o'clock in the forenoon until 12 o'clock noon), and that any ratepayer who desires to object to the assessment to himself or to any other person must within thirty days after the date of this notice lodge his complaint in writing at my office.

DATED this 18th day of April, 1923.

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NOTICE.

Mrs Annie Paulue, my wife, having left my bed and board, notice is given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her from this date.

Stony Plain, March 24, 1923.
WASYL PAULUE, Carvel.

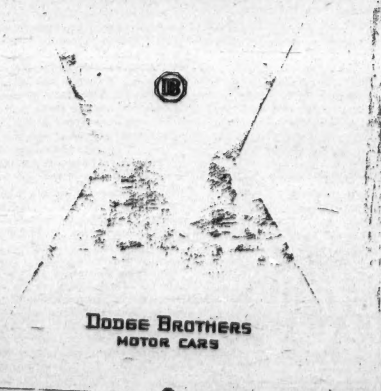
NOTICE!

My wife having left my bed and board, notice is given, that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

Stony Plain, March 14, 1923.
E. C. Schadeck.

Peter Goebel,
Well-Driller, CARVEL, Alta.

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Stony Plain and District

Articles intended for insertion in The Sun must be in the office not later than 5 p.m. Monday, to insure insertion.

BIRTH—On Thursday, April 5, to Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Brummet, a son.

DIED—On Wednesday, April 11, 1923, of bronchial-neumonia, Edith Irene Meads, age 6 months and 19 days; infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Meads.

Mr. J. Straasburger commenced seeding operations on Thursday last.

Another big event billed away ahead is the barn dance at Miesner's, for Friday, May 25th.

St. Mathew's School re-opened last week, with an attendance of about 40 pupils; Mr. H. J. Boettcher is in charge.

As stated in last week's issue, Hon. Geo. Bevington was healed for Ottawa. On arriving, he appeared before the House of Commons Committee on Banking and Commerce. As George is an authority on Banking etc., you may be sure he has been telling 'em how to do it right.

Why not arrange a definite plan for your boy by securing an Educational or Life Career Policy from Lloyd E. Wood, of Crown Life Insurance Co.? Ten cents a day would do it. 835-6 Tregler Block, Edmonton.

At the last meeting of Evergreen Municipal District a resolution carried, "That this meeting go on record as being in favor of going to the straight acreage basis of taxation."

Dominion Government has just issued an announcement which will be of particular interest to farmers, creameries and elevators. Cream and grain tickets issued at creameries and elevators are taxable from January 1 of this year (1923).

United Farmers' Dance.

What was undoubtedly the best social and dance in Stony for a considerable period took place on Friday night last, under the auspices of the U.F. Local. The crowd assembled early, and danced to the good music supplied by the Barth's. Before midnight a goodly assortment of handsome and well laden boxes were put on the block by the auctioneer, and sold after some keen competition. Dancing kept up till a late hour, and the affair was voted by all to have been the most enjoyable of the season.

Gov't Farm Still For Sale.

The following from the proceedings in the Legislature may be interesting to us:

Coming to the vote for demonstration farms, Mr. Hoadly stated that they were selling the Stony Plain farm, and sending the stock to Oliver. This included the herd of pure-bred Holstein cattle. He hoped they would sell the Sedge-wick farm, for which they had received an offer, and the other farms not being run were on the market.

Mr. Hoadly stated that the government intended to eliminate all demonstration farms but two, one of which would be at Onda, where the agricultural school had 149 pupils.

Stony Plain and District

By order of the Minister, Comet School District has been raised to the status of a village district for assessment purposes.

Mr. Reid, who had been running the Spruce Grove Hotel has departed, and the place is closed. Several applicants who believe the sale of strong beer will shortly be legalized are making an effort to lease the premises from the owner, who resides in British Columbia.

Miss Annie Loeblich and Commissioner Bryan of the A. P. Police were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Loeblich's home in Spruce Grove, last Sunday.

Councillor McKinlay had the Meridian Road dragged on Monday, from the Town limits south, making a decided improvement.

Mr. Chas. Oakley, a resident of Graminia, who has been suffering from the flu was last week removed to an Edmonton hospital.

"There will not be any difficulty in getting good quality seed potatoes this spring, and any growers who have then need scarcely expect to get fancy prices," says the Market Examiner. Calgary quotations, \$1 per 100 lbs. for seed potatoes f.o.b.

Mr. Waddell, who had been acting as secretary for Golden Rule S. D., in Wabamun District, appeared last week before Justice of the Peace White, on the charge of irregularities in his accounts for the School district.

Heatherdown Methodist Church was crowded to the doors on Friday evening last, when the local Dramatic Society presented the Comedy-drama of rural life, "The Corner Store," in 4 acts.

Reeve Brox had the road grader working on the Base-line, up to the Town's corner, on Tuesday last.

It is proposed to hold a big convention in Calgary of the Liberal Associations of Alberta, when the Legislature closes.

Auction sale Saturday next at the Zucht Livery Barn—Household goods, etc.

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The Right Thing.

For once the government has done the right thing, selected the right person for the right job, and proceeded exactly according to Hoyle. We refer to the appointment of a gentleman well versed in the affairs of lunatics, who will be supreme overlord of the government liquor store in Edmonton.—The Bulletin.

The Market Report.

WHEAT.	
No. 1 Northern	95
No. 2	92
No. 3	88
OATS.	
2 C. W.	0.38
3 C. W.	0.35
Extra 1 Feed	0.35
No. 1 Feed	0.33
No. 2 Feed	0.31
BARLEY.	
No. 3	0.45
No. 4	0.42
No. 4	0.34
Rejected	0.30
RYE.	
No. 2	0.67

LOST—Fountain Pen. Reward at Sun Office.

FOR SALE—Turkey Eggs, for setting. Wong June, Main St.

FOR SALE—Pigs, young ones, all sizes and ages, all the year round. Apply to Wong June, Stony Plain.

FOR SALE—Studebaker Truck in good order. \$300 cash will take it, with 1923 license. Apply Wong June, Restaurant, Main St., Stony Plain.

FOR SALE—Settings of Eggs, from purebred Barred Rock hens; \$1.10 a dozen. Apply Geo. McMillan, Demonstration Farm, Stony Plain.

FOR SALE—Horses; eight or ten young horses, well broken, in good condition. Apply W. J. Davidson, Stony Plain P.O.

LOST—War Service Badge, in Stony Plain; \$2 reward on return to Sun Office or F. W. Loeblich, Spruce Grove.

LOST—1 Bay Gelding, white face, white hind feet; front legs grey; 1 brown eye; left front hoof split, weight about 1400 pounds. Apply Peter Shadkoff, NE 14 53 1 W 5, Stony Plain.

TO RENT—Store and dwelling on Main St., opposite Royal Hotel. Apply C. W. Rose's Hardware Store.

FOR SALE—Eight purebred Yorkshire Sows, now at \$40, 7 at \$45. Apply Geo. McMillan, Demonstration Farm.

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Going west, 1.30 p.m.—Prince Rupert Express, every day except Sunday.

1 a.m. every day, Vancouver Express, stops on flag only.